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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director for Administration
Director, Office of Security
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FROM: [redacted] Legislation Division/OCA

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SUBJECT: House Passage of H.R. 1212 - Polygraph Legislation

1. On 4 November 1987, the House passed H.R. 1212, the "Employee Polygraph Protection Act". A copy of the House floor debate is attached (Congressional Record - pp. H/9528 - 9598).

2. In so doing, the House adopted the "amendment in the nature of a substitute" as proposed by the House Education and Labor Committee. Section 6 of that substitute protects the Agency's equities in this matter: governmental exemption and exemption for Agency contractors' employees. The House also adopted two additional amendments: security services business exemption (Representative Roukema) and pharmaceutical business exemption (Representative Richardson). Neither, however, affected Section 6. As soon as copies of the bill as passed are available, we will forward them.

3. In the Senate, it is expected the House-passed bill will be referred to the Labor and Human Resources Committee. That Committee, however, is not expected to take up the bill before the end of this session in December. In fact, to date, there has been no Senate action on legislation of this nature. We will keep you informed of further developments on this issue.

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4. Please contact [redacted] should you wish to view a tape of the floor debate.

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